## **Peer Review Plan**

| Preliminary Title:<br>Type of Report<br>(ERR, EIB, EB)                                       | Animal Welfare Laws and International Trade<br>EIB   |                   |                 |   |                          |            |          |  |
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| (ERR, EIB, EB)   |  |                   | [X]             | Influential Scien                                     | tific Inf                | ormation   |          |  |
| Agency:  | Economic Res<br>USDA   | earch Service     | [ ]             | Highly Influentia                                     | al Scien                 | tific Asse | essment  |  |
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| Purpose of Review:   | The purpose of the review is to ensure the high-quality of the economic analysis, transparent explanation of methods, objective interpretation of results, and effective communication to the intended audience. |                   |                 |   |                          |            |          |  |
| Type of Review: [ ] Panel Review   |  |                   |                 |   | [X] Individual Reviewers |            |          |  |
| [ ] Alternative Process (Briefly Explain):   |  |                   |                 |   |                          |            |          |  |
| Timing of Review (Est  | .): Start:   | 11/21/08          | End:            | XX/XX/XX  | Comp                     | pleted:    | XX/XX/XX |  |
| Number of Reviewers:   | [ ]  | 3 or<br>fewer     | [X]             | 4 to 10   | [] 1                     | More than  | n 10     |  |
| Primary Disciplines/Types of Expertise Needed for Review: Economists                         |  |                   |                 |   |                          |            |          |  |
| Reviewers selected by: [X] Agency  |  |                   | Organ           | [ ] Designated Outside Organization unization's Name: |                          |            |          |  |
| Opportunities for Publi<br>If yes, briefly star<br>How:<br>When:                             |  | en these opportun | [ ]<br>ities wi | Yes<br>ll be provided:                                | [X] 1                    | No         |          |  |
| Peer Reviewers Provided with Public Comments? Public Nominations Requested for Review Panel? |  |                   |                 | Yes<br>Yes  |                          | No<br>No   |          |  |